

**Abstract of the Disclosure**

1       A slitter for webs, such as sheet aluminum or other metals, has a simple and effective  
2 method and apparatus for controlling the movement of a strip of metallic trim into a scrap  
3 reclamation system. One or more air nozzles direct a stream of air between the knife roll and the  
4 trim strip in the area where the trim strip leaves the knife roll. This presses the trim strip away  
5 from the knife roll, and reduces the risk that trim will adhere to the knife roll and cause  
6 problems.

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